

**PATENT**

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

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Applicant: Harold N. Rosenstock  
Group Art Unit: 2155  
Examiner: David R. Lazaro  
Title: METHOD AND APPARATUS FOR LIMITING STANDBY  
SUBNET MANAGERS  
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**AMENDMENT**

Sir:

In response to the Office Action mailed February 5, 2008, please amend the application as follows and consider the remarks set forth below.

**Amendments to the Claims** begin on page 2 of this paper.

**Remarks** begin on page 15 of this paper.